



AT ANNUAL dinner meeting of the Tulare County Fruit Exchange, held Monday evening

at the Memorial building in Terra Bella, from left: Bill Benson, County Exchange treas-

urer; Harley Martin, vice president; Ralph Tyrrell, representative to Sunkist board; Bill

Baird, president; Gordon Henderson, Sunkist sales manager, western region; Leo McCrillis, County Exchange manager;

Baird; and Don Anderson, general manager of Sunkist Growers Inc., who was the principal speaker at the dinner.

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GUADALUPE MAN and Woman of the Year were named Saturday night at annual Guadalupe Mission dinner dance held at Gang Sues - Albert Rodriguez,

left, 1967 man of the year accepts his award from last year's man of the year, Victor Cruz; and Connie Rodriguez, right, accepts the woman of the year

award from last year's winner, Beatrice Huerta, with Father David Duran looking on. (Farm Tribune photos) Additional photos pages 4 and 5.

## VANDALIA 4-H SCORES IN SHEEP, BEEF, SWINE AT GREAT WESTERN

VANDALIA - Vandalia 4-H club, following its pattern of the past several years, scored heavily at the recent Great Western Livestock show in Los Angeles, winning for the ninth consecutive year top award for a chapter group of five steers shown by four individuals; showing the best club group of six market lambs for the second con-

secutive year; and placing second for best chapter group of market hogs.

And Emmy Lou Weldon exhibited the grand champion lamb of the show - a 103 pound crossbred - which moves her into the elite circle of livestock exhibitors.

She also had the reserve 4-H champion lamb; the

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## Children, Bands, Floats To Enter Xmas Parade

PORTERVILLE - Five bands, several hundred costumed children, and Christmas floats will feature annual Christmas parade that will be staged by the Merchants' committee of the Porterville chamber of commerce, Saturday, December 2, starting at 10:30 a.m.

All elementary school children, first through sixth grades, in the southeastern Tulare county area are invited to participate, with some 5,000 invitations sent to 20 schools and 80 youth groups in the area.

The parade will line up in the vicinity of the Porterville city hall, with all entries to be in place by 10 a.m. for judging. All individuals must be in costume carrying out a Christ-

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## PANTHER BAND PLAYING THREE EVENTS IN SOUTH

PORTERVILLE - The 132 piece Porterville High School Panther band left for southern California yesterday to play three major engagements - the famous Hollywood Christmas parade down Hollywood boulevard last night; in Disneyland on Thanksgiving day; and the All-Western Band review in Long Beach, Saturday.

Buck Shaffer, who has directed the band for 15

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## CONFIDENCE VOICED FOR CITRUS FUTURE

TERRA BELLA - "With our total organization, we can look with confidence toward the future," Don Anderson, general manager of Sunkist told packing house directors, managers, and guests at annual Tulare County Fruit Exchange dinner meeting held Monday evening at the Terra Bella Memorial building.

Anderson said he is predicting that by the 1975-76 orange season, California and Arizona will be marketing 180,000 cars, of which 58,000 will be Navels. This compares to 165,000 total cars 23 years ago; 90,500 cars at the low point of 1961-62; and 136,000 cars last year.

"We are moving fast," Anderson said, then told what Sunkist is doing to improve its marketing fa-

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## FUTURE OF AGENCY IS UNDECIDED

PORTERVILLE - Future of the Central California Citrus Pest Control agency is undecided following a special meeting of directors in Visalia Tuesday, however it is certain that the agency will either be reorganized or will go out of existence when the current fiscal year ends June 31, 1968.

A card ballot vote in the Southern Tulare County Citrus Pest Control district - one of five districts that make up the Central agency - showed that 86.53 percent of the citrus growers in the district, voting by acreage, favored pulling out of the Central agency.

Considerable controversy has centered around the agency in recent months resulting from grand jury criticism of administra-

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## DALE CRANMORE HEADS NEW AG. CLUB

PORTERVILLE - Dale Cranmore has been elected president of the newly-organized Beef and Dairy club in the agricultural department at Porterville High school.

Other officers are: Dan Cantrell, vice president; Jim Parrott, secretary; Mike Kambick, treasurer; Mike Cantrell, reporter; Alan Cranmore, sentinel;

and Rodney P. Homer, advisor.

At the organizational meeting November 15, Jim Martinez, manager of the Guthrie feedlot, spoke on cost, health, feeding, sanitation, fitting and showing of FFA beef project animals. He also discussed feeds to use, and the changing of feed, for finishing market animals.

## Horseshoers' Class Graduates



LEAVING TUESDAY with their horseshoeing degree will be these members of class No. 13 at the Porterville Horseshoeing school, from left, back: Hank McEwan, instructor; Ed Reid, from Redding; Herman Hupp, Kingsburg; Dick Carr, Calico Ghost Town; Dennis Holderman, Palo Verde; and Jim Dellinger,

Whittier. Bottom from left: Bob Bashor, Oakdale; Pat Porter, and Jack Huckleroad, both from Santa Fe, New Mexico; and Drew West, Sacramento. McEwan says that class No. 14, with a "full house" of 12 students, starts December 4.

(Farm Tribune photo)

## First Navel Oranges Hit Market

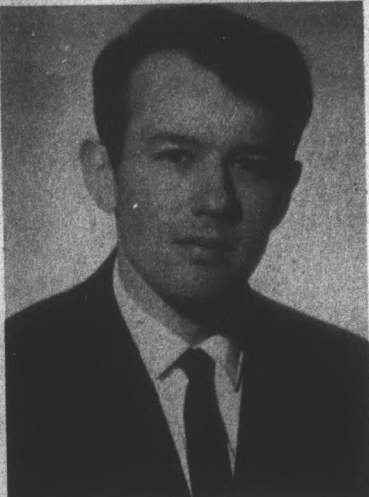


SHIPMENT OF 130 cartons of Tule Gold Navel oranges hit the South San Francisco and Oakland market Monday as the first of the 1967 Navels to be shipped from the Porterville area. Looking over the early fruit are, from left, Val Guzman, head field man for the Euclid Citrus association, the house handling the fruit; Art Mabs and his son Don Mabs who developed the early Navel and who have a patent pending on the variety; and Stan Gillette,

house manager at Euclid. Said Gillette about the Tule Gold oranges, "The highest quality early Navel that I have ever packed. The fruit has excellent flavor and juice content, combined with outstanding external appearance and shipping qualities." The Mabs grove is located in Madera county; their nursery is at Porterville. General shipping of Navel oranges will not get underway locally for at least another week.

(Farm Tribune photo)





**NICHOLAS BOTTKA**, a Rotary Fellowships student now working for the U.S. Navy at China Lake, will be the speaker at a joint meeting of Porterville and Lindsay Rotarians, and their wives, in the Gang Sue Lantern room next Tuesday noon. Bottka was born in Hungary in 1940, he says that he was "adopted" by the United States in 1956; he recently returned from Germany where he had studied physics under a Rotary Fellowship, with the RC Goettingen Rotary club of North Germany as his host. He did graduate work at UCLA and is at present doing basic studies of solids at China Lake.

## Confidence

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cility to handle increased production. He listed four major points:

1. Three regional sales areas have been set up to cover the nation, with a manager in each region to provide a more flexible program of promotion and merchandising.

2. A strengthened advertising and merchandising budget has been set up anticipating continual increases of citrus shipments in the years ahead, however, with advertising based on number of cartons shipped, Anderson said that with a short crop this year, budget will be a million dollars lower than anticipated.

3. A sales incentive program was put into effect on November 1, which if it works will cost \$250,000, representing one sixtieth of market returns, but which if it doesn't work will cost nothing.

4. Efforts are continuing to expand the export market, with emphasis on the Pacific area.

Anderson said, "not with pride but as a matter of

fact," that Sunkist budget for 1967-68 is the highest ever, since the organization is preparing for the future. He cited participation with the University in a varietal improvement and certification of bud stock program at a cost to Sunkist of \$30,000; a quality insurance program involving a policing system to eliminate pesticide residue, costing \$90,000; and a Citrus White fly and Woolly fly control program in San Diego country at a cost of \$200,000.

"If Sunkist does not pay its share in these programs now," Anderson said, "Cost will be many times greater in the future."

Primary purpose of Sunkist, Anderson pointed out, is to sell fruit; job of packing houses is to prepare fruit for market; job of the county Exchange is to get fruit on the market. He praised Leo McCrillis, manager of the Tulare County Fruit Exchange, for his operation of the Exchange office.

Anderson said that not only will there be more fruit to sell in the future but there will be fewer buyers to sell to, since, today, 80 percent of the food in America is sold by 20 percent of the stores, and trend toward higher percentage of sale by fewer stores will probably continue.

He said that Sunkist is not the only way to provide selling power, but he said the organization is sound, and if it doesn't get the job done, "take care of the people responsible for operation."

As for outlook for citrus growers, Anderson said that no doubt some growers will go out of business in future years. But he said that growers who maintain high production of good quality and, through efficient operation, keep costs down, will be in business for many years to come.

"You can't expect to sell poor quality fruit for good prices, or to make a profit from low production or inefficient packing house operation," Anderson said.

Presiding at the meeting was Bill Baird, president of the Tulare County Fruit Exchange.

## Future Of

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tion, and from southern Tulare county grower criticism that the agency has been poorly administered and has not accomplished its mission of finding and controlling Red scale.

Second responsibility of the Central agency is to handle control of Quick Decline, including the paying for infected citrus trees that are removed and destroyed.

At the Tuesday meeting, a motion to use \$30,000 of reserve funds from districts within the agency to continue greenhouse operation and tree indexing in connection with Quick Decline control, was not accepted, representatives of the Kern County Citrus Pest Control district stating they wanted an extension of time to study the matter.

Proposal was that \$20,000 would be earmarked for continuation of the greenhouse and indexing program, and \$10,000 for payment for removal of infested trees.

Four of the five districts, including the Southern Tulare County district, went along with the proposition; its share of the \$30,000 would have been \$6,200.

Status of the Central agency as of now appears to be this: Technically, any district withdrawing from the agency must file its intention to do so between December 1 and 15. This will be done by the Southern Tulare County Citrus Pest Control district on a basis of action taken by directors Monday, following the overwhelming vote of growers within the district favoring this move.

This action would become effective at end of the fiscal year, June 30, 1968. At that time the Agency will theoretically go out of existence but it could immediately be reorganized by the other four districts on its present basis; it could be reorganized on a different basis of operation; or it could be allowed to die.

At the agency's Tuesday meeting, attended by the agricultural commissioners from Tulare, Kern and



**RICHARD MARSHALL**, a past president of the Vandalia 4-H club, will be initiated into Phi Beta Kappa, national scholastic honor society, in January. He is one of 24 undergraduate students at Stanford University who has been selected for the honor society on a basis of outstanding academic achievement during their first three years at Stanford. Richard, the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Marshall, graduated with honors from Porterville high school in 1964. While in the Vandalia 4-H club he was a member of several champion livestock judging teams; carried projects in citrus nursery, swine, and tractor maintenance, and served as a junior leader.

Fresno counties and representatives of the state department of agriculture, various possibilities were discussed, including continuation of the agency only for the Quick Decline program.

Bill Bennett, one of the Southern Tulare County Citrus Pest Control district representatives on the agency board, said that although his district will pull out of the agency, he will present to growers in the district any revised plan that may be developed for future operation of the Central agency.

In addition to the southern Tulare county and the Kern county districts, three other districts make up the present organization of the Central agency: The Tulare County Red Scale district that covers Tulare county from Welcome road north; the West Fresno district; and the Central Valley district in Fresno county.

Funds to operate the districts and the Central agency come from taxation of citrus acreage only. General tax money is not involved.

## HOSPITAL DISASTER PLAN IS TESTED

**PORTERVILLE** - Sixth test of the Porterville State Hospital's Disaster plan was made last week when a simulated explosion, followed by a fire in the pressing room of the hospital laundry, set the emergency disaster plan in motion.

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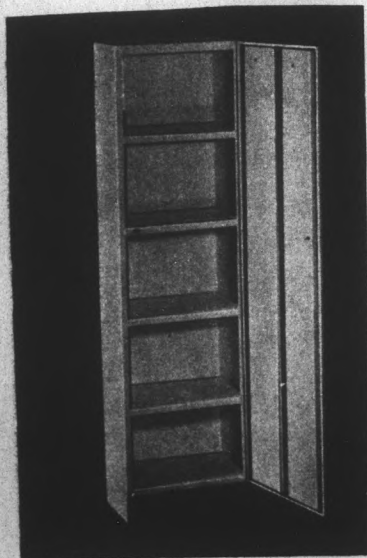
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## Technical Action Panel Program Designed To Assist Agriculture

VISALIA - Tulare County Technical Action panel met recently at the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service office to outline a program for 1968 involving a study of the problems and needs of rural areas of the county.

The Technical Action panel is composed of representatives from local agencies of the United States department of agriculture, other governmental agencies, and leaders in the community that are serving the needs of rural people.

Galen C. Wiley, county supervisor of the Farmers Home administration and chairman of the local panel, outlined some of the major problems that the panel would consider at this time:

1. Make local school officials and high school students more aware of the Federal Guaranteed Loan program to prospective college students.

2. Bring to the attention of small businessmen the Small Business administration loan development program.

3. Explore areas where the local panel can assist in providing more local recreation for residents of the county.

4. Survey the rural needs for more and better labor housing and rural rental housing.

The Tule Indian reservation has submitted a preliminary application and the panel is studying ways to assist the residents of the reservation in obtaining better water facilities.

James Rathbone, State TAP chairman, was a guest at the meeting stating that the basic objective and purpose of the Technical Action panel is to help provide parity of income for agriculture and to slow down as much as possible the migration from rural areas to the cities.

## TWENTY NEW MEMBERS FOR ROCKFORD CLUB

ROCKFORD - Twenty new members were initiated by officers at November meeting of the Rockford 4-H club held at the Rockford school cafeteria.

Those initiated were: David and Donald Baggarly, Ronald Burton, Deborah and Shanna Clinton, Scott Daniels, Carol Friesen, Kay Blackburn, Sherry and Susan Hood, Robby and Susie Jones, Stephanie and Cynthia Nelson, Ronnie Mortenson, Jerry Prez, Eddy Pacheco, Cynthia Jurkovich, and Debra Wilson.

Flag salute and 4-H pledge were led by Kaye Blackburn, and Rhonda Gibson. Reports were given by Linda Stevens, on 4-H Achievement night; Fred Hughes, on the Potluck and swim party held at Sunnyside Swimming pool; Carol Briano on the Junior Leader meeting held at Visalia; Patricia Wiemer, on the recent Chuckwagon breakfast; and Annette Hochuli, on the 4-H Chuckwagon party.

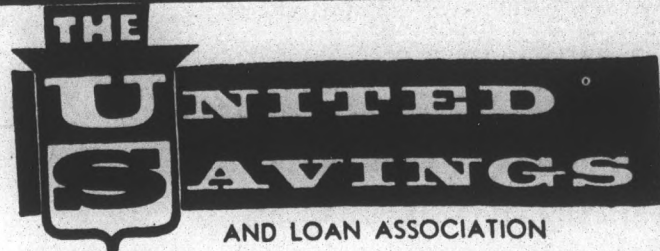
The Sugar Beet Field

day held at Manteca in October was described by Annette Hochuli and David Koontz; club float in the Porterville Veteran's day parade was explained by Kathy Mortenson; Giovanna Briano told about the City-Farm exchange.

After the reports were given, Virginia Hochuli explained the Annual Record sheet in the 4-H book, and

yearbooks were discussed. It was announced that Talent night will be held December 2, and the next club meeting will be December 18.

Sheep and lambs being fattened in California for slaughter totaled 174,000 head on November 1, the lowest for this date since 1960.



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## We Only Heard

BY BILL RODGERS

NOTE TO Milford Cook, of Three Rivers: When you stated, in Porterville, at a recent meeting of the Tulare County Property Owners' association that no one ever reads the true facts in a newspaper because "government tells newspapers what to print and if they don't print it their supply of paper and ink is cut off," you spoke your own ignorance. That statement is not true.

NOTE TO TCPOA: Political harrangues, such as your recent Porterville meeting drifted into, are a waste of time. With your organization gaining in members, and with the sound principles that you support, you are moving into an excellent position to exert the desirable political influence that you seek in the field of government and taxation. Better kill off this rabble rousing approach before it kills you.

NOTE TO Mayor Marty Martin: Pigeons. Pigeons. Pigeons. They're back. Do something.

NOTE TO whom it may concern: Those bumper stickers, "Recall Reagan," make the same amount of sense as did those that said, "Impeach Warren." Which ain't very much.

NOTE TO downtown business men: The years of grace may be about to end. A new shopping center is reported to be 85 percent ready to go.

NOTE TO Vandalia 4-H



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TRIBUNE CAMERA at 5th annual Guadalupe Mission dinner dance held Saturday night in the Gang Sue Lantern room, from top left: State Assemblyman Gordon Duffy; Mrs. Molina and Albert E. Molina, a member of the Reedley College faculty and speaker of the evening; Vic Salcido, master of ceremonies; Marty Martin, mayor of Porterville and Mrs. Martin; Roy Pederson, Porterville city manager, and Mrs. Pederson. Bottom from left: Mrs. Torigian and Porterville Chief of Police Francis Torigian; Mrs. Coates, and Porterville Chamber of Commerce Manager Allan Coates; Judge and Mrs. George Carter; and Father Joseph Balke. Co-chairmen of the dinner dance committee were Isaac Gonzales and Joe Moreno; Albert Rodriguez

erson, Porterville city manager, and Mrs. Pederson. Bottom from left: Mrs. Torigian and Porterville Chief of Police Francis Torigian; Mrs. Coates, and Porterville Chamber of Commerce Manager Allan Coates; Judge and Mrs. George Carter; and Father Joseph Balke. Co-chairmen of the dinner dance committee were Isaac Gonzales and Joe Moreno; Albert Rodriguez

handled publicity; Manuel Alderete was in charge of the dinner; Virginia Hutchison handled tickets; Cecil Salas, Gilbert Ynigues, Victor Cruz, Victor Salcido and Joe Moreno were hosts; Frank Ramirez, Julian Vallejo, Ray Camarena and Tino Montoya were ushers; decoration and theme were in charge of Molly Moreno and Georgeana Ramirez; Father

David Duran asked the blessing; Father Joseph Balke gave a Thanksgiving prayer; dinner music was provided by the Las Vagos Mariachi band, from Terra Bella; music for dancing was by Veto Garcia and his orchestra. (Farm Tribune photos)

club members: Congratulations on your excellent performance at the Great Western.

NOTE TO Robert G. Bereman, D.A.: So James W. Houlihan resigns as deputy DA and you announce in a press release that reason for the resignation, among other things, was low pay and heavy workload resulting from a shortage of staff attorneys. Look Bob, we're getting tired of this universal complaint that too many people on the public payroll can recite in unison on a moment's notice, "We're under paid, over worked and under staffed." Doesn't anyone ever leave the DA's office for the good old American reason that he is capable of earning more money than the office pays,

## All Of Kern County Quarantined For Control Of Pink Bollworm

SACRAMENTO - All of Kern county has been placed under a pink bollworm quarantine with the adoption of an emergency regulation by State Director of Agriculture Earl Coke.

The action extended the area of the quarantine that had been in effect in most of the county since November 10. Discovery of several pink bollworm larvae

so he finds himself a better job?

NOTE TO everyone: Things aren't really as bad all over as some folks seem to think. Today is Thanksgiving. Try counting your blessings.

in cotton bolls in the county led to the imposition of the quarantine by the California Department of Agriculture.

With all Kern county now under the quarantine, restrictions have been removed on movements, within county lines, of cotton, cotton products, farm equipment and other articles capable of carrying the pink bollworm.

Such restrictions would not prevent any natural spread of the pest to other parts of the county, Coke explained.

However, any articles that might harbor the pink bollworm may not be moved from the county to non-quarantine areas without prior fumigation or other safeguard treatment.

No pink bollworms have been found north of Kern county in the San Joaquin valley.

Growers in Kern county must now rely on shredding and plowing under cotton crop residue to destroy pink bollworm remaining in the fields after harvest, Coke said.

## MEDICINE CHEST

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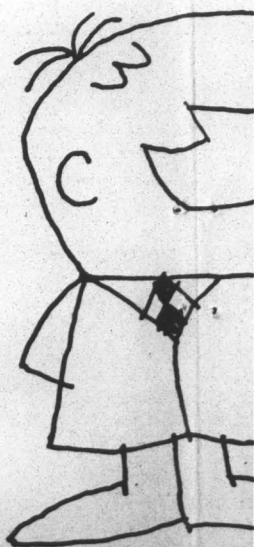
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CLEVER DECORATIONS on tables at 5th annual Guadalupe Mission dinner Saturday evening were designed by Molly

Moreno and Georgeana Ramirez around a bullfighting theme. (Farm Tribune photo)

## Direct Distance Dialing Change

PORTERVILLE - Telephone customers in Porterville who subscribe to four and eight party service joined the nationwide Direct Distance Dialing (DDD) network last Sunday, Bob Board, Pacific Telephone's local manager said this week.

Local customers with one and two party service

have had DDD for some time.

A number of other Tulare county exchanges, including Terra Bella and Springville got DDD service the same day, Board said.

The exchanges include Pixley, Sequoia, Springville, Terra Bella, Three Rivers, Tipton, Tulare and Woodlake.

Also all customers in Porterville, including one and two party subscribers,

## Vandalia 4-H

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4-H champion pen of three lambs; and the reserve champion of the junior division.

In the 75-95 pound crossbred lamb class, Nanci Carter placed second; Emmy Lu Weldon, fourth; Collette Laux, fifth; Brent Scranton, sixth; Richard Schmid, seventh; Janice Scranton, eighth; John Bennett, ninth and tenth; and Leslie Laux, eleventh.

Receiving dual merit

ribbons for group one animals in the crossbred class were Bruce Carter, Steve Schmid, and Stephen Wall.

In the 75-95 pound Hampshire class, Emmy Lu Weldon showed a first-place lamb; and Janice Scranton placed sixth in senior sheep showmanship.

In steer competition, Buck Bennett showed second and third place lightweight; and Richard Bennett had a sixth-place lightweight; JoAnne Purinton had a third place middle-weight steer and Pat Bennett a fifth-place middleweight.

Bill Bennett placed second with his pen of three steers; Buck Bennett and JoAnne Purinton, showing Hereford heifers, placed first with a senior calf and first with a summer yearling, respectively.

Richard Bennett placed third in junior showmanship, and Pat Bennett, ninth.

In the swine divisions, Steve Schmid showed a first-place market hog and

a champion crossbred; Rick Schmid had a second-place market hog.

Richard Bennett came up with a calf in the show's calf scramble.

Emmy Lou Weldon, with her grand champion lamb, was filmed on the Truth or Consequence TV show for release on January 2, 1968.

Another southeastern Tulare county 4-H winner was Rick Stark, of Lindsay, who had the champion pen of three beef; placed fourth in showmanship; and had the reserve champion Angus heifer of the show.

## BUCK KILL

SACRAMENTO - California's 1967 buck kill, tabulated as of three days after the close of the late deer season, was 38,629, down 40 percent from last year's comparable total. Final tabulation on 1967 buck kill will be made on December 15. In Tulare county the figure was 668 bucks this season compared to 1,315 last year.

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AS ONE manikin to another - Gene "Doc Small" Duncan, left, explains to the old-fashioned lady that the Porterville museum will be open on Thanksgiving day, 10 a.m. until 5 p.m., and she says she will be there, along with her manikin friends, all dressed up in authentic his-

torical gowns. Three women manikins, donated by Don Burkhardt, are now modeling old clothes in the museum; donation of men manikins would be appreciated, says Marie Brey, chairman of the museum exhibits committee, since several historic suits of men's clothes

have been given to the museum but at present there is no way to model them. At right, another new addition to the museum display - the water carbonating outfit from the old J. E. Frame company plant.

(Farm Tribune photos)

## "AH WILDERNESS" OPENS NOV. 30 FOR RUN AT HIGH SCHOOL

PORTERVILLE - "Ah Wilderness" will be presented by Porterville High school in three performances, November 30, and December 1 and 2, with Don Grace, head of the drama department, directing.

The play, set in New England just before the dawn of the Roaring 20's, is concerned with the "trials" of the Miller family, as they seek to cope with misanthropic neighbors, problems of their teenagers, young love, vice and a member of the family, who drinks.

Father Nat Miller will be portrayed by Allen Weathers; Essie his wife, Linda

Rodgers; their son Richard, Steve Durtz; his girl friend, Muriel, Denise Kuhlmann; Wint Selby, Brad Olson; and David McComber, Richard Osborne.

Others in the play, and their roles will be Peter Faure, Sid Davis, the incorrigible sous; Lily Miller, the maiden school teacher; Larry Finley, Arthur the college kid; Holly Lawson, Mildred, the sister; Artie Eggman, Tommy the little brother; and Bonnie Powers, Norah the maid.

In addition to appearing on stage, the following also have other duties, Allen Weathers, stage management and Denise Kuhlmann, publicity.

Others working off-stage include: Carl Birch, set design; Tom Keel, lights and sound; Theresa Allen, costume chairman; Linda Griffin, make-up; and Ann Messerschmitt, props.

Paula Seamster has charge of tickets; Denise Brady is the student director.

## SUCCESS 4-H MEMBERS TOP TICKET SELLERS

SUCCESS VALLEY - Success Valley 4-H club was announced as top ticket selling organization for the recent 4-H Chuckwagon breakfast at November meeting of the club; a trophy will be presented at December meeting.

Tabulation of breakfast ticket sales by the 12 southeastern Tulare county clubs that participate in the breakfast showed that 28 Success Valley members had sold 401 tickets. Success Valley also won the trophy last year.

Members of the club will participate in the annual 4-H Talent show contest set for Visalia the first week in December, with Mrs. Arthur Wardlaw in charge of arrangements. Educational and project tours were also discussed at the November meeting, held in the Citrus South Tule community building.

A report on recent Junior Leader conference was given by Robyn Gerry; reports on horse proj-

## Juvenile Crime Prevention Program Underway

VISALIA - Program aimed at juvenile crime prevention is being taken to sixth and seventh grades in every Tulare county school that requests it during the months of November and December, through the office of Tulare County Sheriff Bob Wiley.

Working with the sheriff are Max Cochran, county superintendent of schools, and officers of the 21st District Parent-Teacher association.

Detectives Carl Cartledge and Wes Pearson, in uniform, are presenting the program of slides, photographs and statements relating to "Crime Lab," and "Narcotics."

In addition to factual information, the programs are designed to convey to the minds of students an acceptable image of a law enforcement officer as a friend to whom all citizens, young and old, can look to for protection and aid.

## Counter Spy Club Speaker

PORTERVILLE - Dan T. Moore, ranking X-2 counter intelligence officer in Cairo and the Middle East during World War II, will be the speaker at a dinner meeting of the Porterville Executives' club next Monday at 7:00 p.m. in Gang Sue's Lantern room.

Reservation must be made with Marie Brey not later than Friday, November 24.

ects were given by: Claudia Barringer, Jodie Barringer, Ronnie Brook, Mary Chamberlain, Gaylene Florer, Joni Gerry, Mary Mitchell, Deana Ramirez, Chris Taylor, Scott Taylor, and Kathy Wardlaw.

Club members were invited to attend two skating parties in Porterville on November 16 with the Ducor 4-H club, and on November 27 with the Terra Bella 4-H club.

## LEGAL NOTICE

SUMMONS  
(General)  
No. 65083

Superior Court of the State of California  
For The County of Tulare

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P. O. Box 1707  
193 South Main Street  
Porterville, California 93257  
Telephone: (209) 781-1658  
FLORENCE SEARCY, Plaintiff

vs.  
GEORGE SEARCY, Defendant  
THE PEOPLE OF THE  
STATE OF CALIFORNIA,  
To the above named Defendant:

You are hereby directed to appear and answer the complaint of the above named plaintiff filed in the above entitled court in the above entitled action brought against you in said court, within TEN days after the service on you of this summons, if served within the above named county, or within THIRTY days if served elsewhere.

You are hereby notified that unless you so appear and answer, said plaintiff will take judgment for any money or damages demanded in the complaint as arising upon contract, or will apply to the court for any other relief demanded in the complaint.

Dated May 12, 1967.

(SEAL)

JAMES E. HOWARD,

Clerk

By GENEVIEVE JEPSON

Deputy Clerk

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## NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Superior Court of the  
State of California  
For the County of Tulare

No. 19417

Estate of

ALICE R. EDDY, also known  
as Alice Eddy, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the creditors of the above named decedent that all persons having claims against the said decedent are required to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the clerk of the above entitled court, or to present them, with the necessary vouchers, to the undersigned at the law offices of Hubler, Burford, Moran & Quirk, 141 East Mill Avenue, Porterville, California, which is the place of business of the undersigned in all matters pertaining to the estate of said decedent, within six months after the first publication of this notice.

Dated October 17, 1967.

NEIL IRVIN EDDY, Executor  
of the Will of the above named  
decedent.

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## TERRA BELLA 4-H HAS WINNER IN FIRST TRY

TERRA BELLA - For the first time Terra Bella 4-H club this year entered a float in the Porterville Veterans' Day parade - and the first effort was a good one, the float taking a second place in the junior division and winning the club a \$30 prize.

Club members who rode on the float were: Bobby Allen, Scott Brookman, Davella Brown, Phillip Eggman, Danzy Lester, Vicki Merzolan, Nancy Paulus, Karla Rickles, Richard Rogers, Linda Rohwer, Sharon Rohwer, Gary Rohwer, Cheryl Staley, Marla Tritch, Rebecca Tritch, Janel Tritch, and Sheila Wolfram.

Individuals and business firms assisting and donating material for the float included: Belveals Variety store of Terra Bella, Bob Sheets, Valley Furniture, Hastings Equipment, Galbraith Brothers, and Karl Rickels.

Title of the float was: "Help Keep America Ours." Theme was built around Keeping America by using Head, Heart, Health and Hands wisely. In contrast it was shown how some people would tear America down.

Final plans were made for the float at November meeting of the Terra Bella 4-H club, held at the Me-

## LEGAL NOTICE

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Dated October 25, 1967.

s/ R. V. GOODMAN, JR.

s/ EVA M. GOODMAN

State of California

County of Tulare, ss:

On this 25th day of October, 1967, before me, Mary C. Brown, a notary public, personally appeared R. V. GOODMAN, JR., and EVA M. GOODMAN, known to me to be the same persons whose names are subscribed to the foregoing certificate and they duly acknowledged to me that they executed the same. Witness my hand and seal the day and year first above written.

s/ MARY C. BROWN

Notary Public, Tulare County

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## NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Superior Court of the  
State of California  
For the County of Tulare

No. 19458

Estate of

MYRTLE V. SAAK, also known as  
Myrtle Saak and Myrtle Valentine  
Saak, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the creditors of the above named decedent that all persons having claims against the said decedent are required to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the clerk of the above entitled court, or to present them, with the necessary vouchers, to the undersigned at the law offices of Hubler, Burford, Moran & Quirk, 141 East Mill Avenue, Porterville, California, which is the place of business of the undersigned in all matters pertaining to the estate of said decedent, within six months after the first publication of this notice.

Dated November 13, 1967.

ROBERT F. SAAK, Executor  
of the Will of the above named  
decedent.

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## NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Superior Court of the  
State of California  
For the County of Tulare

No. 19443

Estate of

MARY J. ROBINSON, also known  
as Mary J. Adams Robinson, Mary  
Robinson, Mary J. Adams and  
Mary Adams, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the creditors of the above named decedent that all persons having claims against the said decedent are required to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the clerk of the above entitled court, or to present them, with the necessary vouchers, to the undersigned at the law offices of Hubler, Burford, Moran & Quirk, 141 East Mill Avenue, Porterville, California, which is the place of business of the undersigned in all matters pertaining to the estate of said decedent, within six months after the first publication of this notice.

Dated November 7, 1967.

SCHUYLER W. ADAMS, Executor  
of the Will of the above named  
decedent.

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morial building with Gail Eggman, vice president, presiding. Flag salute was led by Robert Allen; 4-H pledge by Ruth Ann Doyel; minutes were read by Marian Knutsen; treasurer's report was given by Tim Conkling.

Jeanette Winfree told of club activity articles submitted to the various press media; Diana Knutsen reported on entertainment for the club's Christmas party; and electricity projects meeting was announced for December 7 at the Cotton home; refreshments were served at conclusion of the meeting by the Knutsen and Galbraith families.



## Citrus Tree Registration Fee Increase Proposed By The State

SACRAMENTO — State Director of Agriculture Earl Coke has notified California nurserymen and other citrus tree growers of a proposed increase in the department's fees for registration of citrus trees found free from symptoms of psorosis (scaly bark). The proposed increase, from \$15 to \$25 per tree, would eliminate a deficit in the registration program, which includes inspection and index testing for virus diseases. Registration covers a three-year period. Department officials

said the higher fee is made necessary by the Agricultural code, which requires that this program be self-supporting through fees paid by the participants. More money is needed to offset fixed costs in maintaining the department's greenhouses, added improvements in testing procedures, and a reduced number of registered citrus trees — 3,900 at present — used as propagating sources by nurserymen, the officials explained. Stanley M. Mather, chief of the nursery service for the department, said the

citrus registration program assures nurserymen and citrus fruit growers a supply of budwood from trees that have been inspected and tested by the department for freedom from such serious virus diseases as tristeza (quick decline of citrus), vein enation, exocortis and psorosis.

Interested persons may present written statements or arguments on the proposed fee increase to the Director, California department of agriculture, 1220 "N" street, Sacramento, before 5 p.m. on December 1, 1967.

### GIRL WINNER OF EDISON AWARD

LANCASTER — Karen Kay Delay, 17-year-old Antelope Valley High School senior, has been named the outstanding science student in this area and one of six winners in California and Nevada selected to attend the Ninth Annual National Youth Conference on the Atom, scheduled November

## The Farm Tribune

# BILLBOARD

November  
29-Methodist Church Bazaar  
30—"Ah Wilderness" PUHS play  
December  
1-2—"Ah Wilderness" PUHS play  
2-Children's Christmas Parade  
Women's Club Tea Tasting  
Congregational Church Bazaar  
9-Porterville Junior Chamber Christmas Dinner Dance

January  
16-Community Concert  
18-Terra Bella Chamber of Commerce Banquet  
20-Porterville Junior Chamber Bosses Night  
February  
3-Porterville Chamber of Commerce Banquet  
March  
30-Jackass Mail Run  
April  
6-7-Springville Rodeo  
May  
4-5-Porterville Rodeo  
16-17-18-Porterville Fair

30 - December 2 in Chicago.

Karen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin J. Delay, of Lancaster, is the student designated to go to the sessions representing Southern California Edison company's "northern divi-

sion," a region including Delano, Hanford, Porterville, Tulare and Visalia, as well as the Antelope valley area.

Peak supply of lettuce was moving last week from the Kern county area.



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## Fire Season Officially Ends

PORTERVILLE — What with the season's first real storm dumping rain and snow on the Sierra, official close of the 1967 fire season has been announced by Lawrence Whitfield, supervisor of the Sequoia National forest. Campfire permits are no longer needed in the forest, however permits are required year-round for burning of debris around homes and cabins.

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THE MAKING of a U.S. Navy Chief Petty Officer - Frank Williams, of Porterville, who received his promotion last week and who, in the 200-year-old tradition of the Navy, faced a mock court martial, held in

Porterville's seat of culture, the Mountain Lion saloon. Photos, from left: "Boot Chief" Williams being prepared for "court martial" by Chief W.J. Holleman, right, senior chief of the "court martial board,"

and Ray Weatherford, Petty Officer First Class, left, who served as Williams' defense counsel. Center, although Williams' defense failed on every point, he still made the rank and is congratulated as he en-

ters the unique and exclusive "society" of Navy Chiefs. And do those new stripes look good to Frank and his wife! Participating in the ceremony were: Chiefs Holleman, Jerry Webb

and Ray Ovel, and Marine Gun-nery Sergeant Bob Dunger, all of Visalia; Chief J. C. Davison, of Porterville; and Petty Officer First Class Weatherford, of Porterville. (Farm Tribune photos)

## WHAT'S DOING?

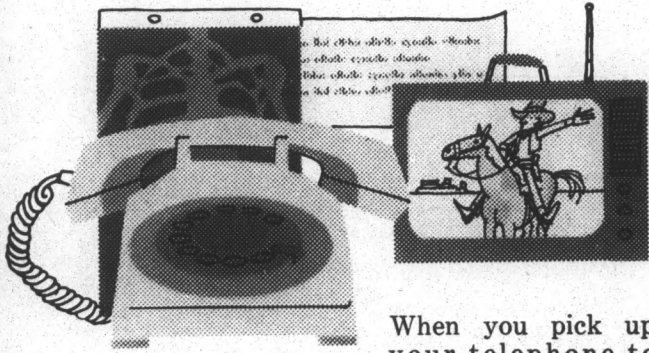


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R. C. Board,  
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## Children, Bands

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mas theme; all floats - a new addition to the parade - must be in the Christmas theme.

All entrants will form by school group, back of a school sign; a \$5.00 gift certificate will be awarded



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By John

Rain, fog, and holidays sort of push gardening into the background. Despite this it is a good planting time so far as the health of the plant goes. You may suffer from pneumonia as a result of wet feet but the plants put out roots and prepare themselves for the dry days to come.

Some plants especially enjoy the cool foggy weather and put on a show of color to prove it. Calendulas, with their bright yellow and orange flowers bloom no matter how miserable the weather. Pansies do almost as well if given sunshine occasionally. The real wonders are primrose and cyclamen which survive all this and shade too.

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You may have noted that we are closed Sundays until mid-January. This is so we can prepare our fire-sides for Thanksgiving and Christmas. We may even get our own leaves raked and our wild shrubs tamed with a pair of pruning shears.

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for the best costume in each group, and all parade participants will be given a free ticket to a special show at the Porter theater, starting at 11 a.m.

No bicycles, motor vehicles, or lighted candles will be allowed in the parade.

Route of the parade is from the Porterville city hall, down Main street to Olive, then on to the city parking lot at Second and Olive where the parade will disband.

General chairman of parade arrangements is Waltraut Wilson.

The parade will officially usher in Porterville's Christmas season. Downtown street decorations will go up the day after Thanksgiving.

## Panther Band

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years, states that the Porterville group is making its fifth appearance, by invitation, in the Hollywood parade; has appeared each year in Disneyland since 1955 when the late Walt Disney first invited the

## FINAL TRYOUT FOR ODD COUPLE NEXT TUESDAY

PORTERVILLE - Final tryout for casting of "The Odd Couple" is scheduled by Director Gary Garlund at the Barn theater next Tuesday, November 28, at 7:30 p.m., two male roles and two female roles are still unfilled.

Cast already at initial tryouts are Bill White, Bill Pukmel, Jack Havery, and Don Grace.

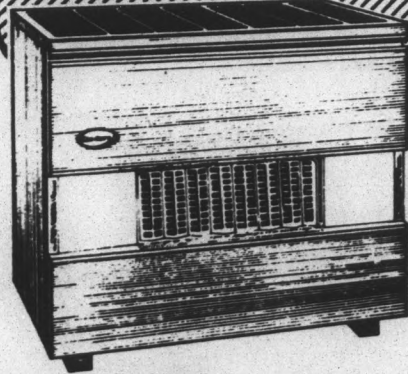
"The Odd Couple" goes into production the second week in December and will open January 19 for a run of three weekends.

The California Fish and Game commission will hold its first meeting of 1968 in Fresno on January 7.

band to play in a Disneyland Christmas parade; and has competed for 13 years in the All-Western band review, placing in the top 10 bands in 11 of those years.

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